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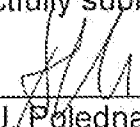
Claims 1, 2, 5-17, and 20-22 are allowed. Claim 1 has been amended to correct a typographical error made in prior amendments: the word "wherein" was inadvertently omitted previously and has been added hereby.

Applicants request the Examiner consider the references cited by applicants in their IDS submissions of 11/1/2007 and 12/5/2007.

Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 50-0665, under Order No. 320528615US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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